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Ms. Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., SW, Room TWB-204
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex Parte Contact

<u>In the Matter of AT&T Corp. v. Sprint Spectrum d/b/a Sprint PCS, WT Docket No. 01-316;</u>

Notice of Ex Parte Presentations, Application by Verizon-New Jersey for Authorization to Provide In-Region, InterLATA Service in the State of New Jersey, CC Docket 01-347;

<u>Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service</u>, CC Docket No. 96-45; <u>1998</u>
<u>Biennial Regulatory Review – Streamlined Contributor Reporting Requirements</u>
<u>Associated with Administration of Telecommunications Relay Service</u>, <u>North American Numbering Plan</u>, <u>Local Number Portability</u>, and <u>Universal Service Support Mechanisms</u>, CC Docket 98-171; <u>Telecommunications Services for Individuals with Hearing Speech Disabilities and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990</u>, CC Docket No. 90-571; <u>Administration of the North American Numbering Plan and North American Numbering Plan Cost Recovery Contribution Factor and Fund Size</u>, CC Docket No. 92-237, NSD File No. L-00-72; <u>Number Resource Optimization</u>, CC Docket No. 99-200; <u>Telephone Number Portability</u>, CC Docket No. 95-116; and <u>Truth-in-Billing and Billing Format</u>, CC Docket No. 98-170;

In the Matter of Review of Section 251 Unbundling Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers and Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the Local Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-98; 01-338;

In the Matter of Deployment of Wireline Services Offering Advanced Telecommunications Capability, CC Docket No. 98-147

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday June 20, 2002, I had a conversation with Dorothy Attwood, Chief of the Wireline Competition Bureau, to discuss issues related to the foregoing proceedings. With respect to the Sprint PCS proceeding, I reiterated AT&T's view that the Commission should deny Sprint's petition to permit it to selectively avail itself of regulation in order to recover access charges and grant AT&T's petition for declaratory ruling that the traditional bill and keep regime should be applied towards the disputed minutes. I stressed the need for the Commission to rule that only express agreements are permitted in this environment otherwise the Commission may find itself in the position of having to regulate wireless access charges. The positions expressed were consistent with those contained in the Comments and ex parte filings previously made in that proceeding.

With respect to the New Jersey 271 proceeding, I stated that the continued marketing of interLATA services by Verizon in New Jersey was more than adequate grounds for the Commission to deny Verizon New Jersey's Section 271 application for all the reasons stated in AT&T's numerous ex partes in this matter.

With respect to the Universal Service proceeding, I re-emaphasized the need for the Commission to adopt a per connection approach and implement that assessment mechanism no later than January 1, 2003, consistent with AT&T's pleadings in that proceeding.

With respect to the Triennial Review proceeding, I reviewed with Ms. Atwood the presentation that AT&T gave to members of the Commission Staff on Tuesday June 18, 2202 reflected in the ex parte I filed with the Commission on Wednesday June 19, 2002.

One copy of this Notice is being submitted for each of the referenced proceedings in accordance with the Commission's rules.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Zuinn .

cc: Dorothy Attwood